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Robert Stein, Chairman Connecticut Siting Council 10 Franklin Square New Britain, CT 06051

Re: Greenwich Substation and Line Project

Dear Chairman Stein:

Pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes § 16-50*l*(a), The Connecticut Light and Power Company doing business as Eversource Energy ("Eversource") herewith submits an Application for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need ("Application") for the Greenwich Substation and Line Project (the "Project").

With this letter, Eversource submits (a) an original and 15 copies of the Application, and (b) a Compact Disc containing an electronic copy of the Application.

The Project includes the construction of a new substation at 290 Railroad Avenue in Greenwich and two (2) 115-kV underground transmission lines extending between Eversource's existing Cos Cob Substation in Greenwich and the new Greenwich Substation. The preferred route for the transmission lines would be approximately 2.3 miles long. The Project would also require modifications to Cos Cob Substation.

In accordance with Connecticut General Statutes § 16-50*l*(b) and the Application Guides for Electric Substation Facility and Electric and Fuel Transmission Line Facility, we enclose the following:

- Copies of the cover letters sent with a copy of this Application to federal, state, and local governmental officials and agencies;
- An affidavit regarding proof of service of the Application;
- An affidavit regarding publication of the legal notices of Eversource's intent to file the Application;
- An affidavit regarding the notice that Eversource provided to customers in Greenwich, with a bill insert;
- An affidavit regarding the notice provided to substation abutters; and
- An affidavit regarding the notice provided to community organizations and water companies (pursuant to Section VIII of the Application Guides).

## We also enclose the following:

- <u>Bulk Filing #1</u>, which consists of four copies and 1 Compact Discs containing abutter information (notice, list), the inland wetlands and planning and zoning regulations and Plan of Conservation and Development of the Town of Greenwich, Regional, Plan of Conservation and Development, Location Review Filing and the Municipal Consultation Filing;
- A check for the Application filing fee in the amount of \$25,250; and
- A check for the municipal participation fee in the amount of \$25,000.

## By July 11, 2015, Eversource will submit the following:

- <u>Bulk Filing #2</u>, which will consist of four copies of materials that Eversource provided at the open houses and materials provided to Greenwich during the municipal consultation process; and
- Copies of written public comments received as part of the municipal consultation process (including from the public open house), and Eversource's responses.

Please advise us if any additional material is necessary for the Council's review of this Application.

Respectfully submitted,

Attachment